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Applicant: J.C. CHEN et al. Examiner: Jack W. Szeto

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TITLE: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR TRANSMITTING

INPUT/OUTPUT REQUESTS FROM A PRIMARY CONTROLLER TO A

SECONDARY CONTROLLER

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312/ COMMENTS ON STATEMENTS OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Notice of Allowance dated August 10, 2006, in which the Examiner allowed claims 1-3, 6-15, 17-27, 29-36 in the above-identified application as filed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.